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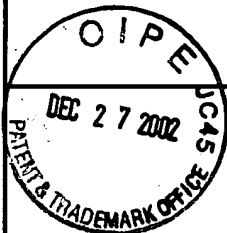
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Applicant responds to the Examiner's Office Action of December 4, 2002 as follows.

REMARKS

In the Office Action of December 4, 2002, the Examiner continues to reject the claims, Claims 1 - 17, as being an improper recapture of claim subject matter deliberately cancelled in the application for the patent upon which the present reissue is based. In support of its position, the Examiner provides little explanation for the basis of its decision. Instead, the Examiner merely states that a rejection based upon improper recapture was made in the parent